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**Events Planned For** Last Week of the '33-34 School Year

Baccalaureate Sermon, Programs for Both Elementary and High School Students Planned

The final week of the school year and the many activities of "last week o' school" will be ushered in with the baccalaureate sermon at the high school Sunday morning at eleven o'clock.

The sermon will be by the Rev. J. Ralph Grant, pastor of Park Heights Baptist Church, San Angelo. Scripture reading and prayer will be given by the Rev. E. P. Neal of the Methodist Church here.

The Rev. Mr. Grant is a graduate of Simmons University, Abilene, where he secured his B. A. degree. He was active in debating and oratorical societies and served as pastor of a Jones county church while he was a student. He was formerly a minister in Anson.

Another Event Thursday

Graduates from seventh grade into the high school will have their | commencement program Thursday night at 8:15 in the high school auditorium. Twenty-five are candidates for graduation. They are:

Mary Barnes, Kathryn Brown, Eth- | nounced. elridge Cuisenberry, Webb Elliott, Harrel Turney Espy, Mattie Mael Friess, Alma Louise Glasscock, Pearl Hart, Wynona Hutcherson.

Lois Merck, Pearl Lee Ory, Jack Shurley, Rena Glen Shurley, Garland Slaughter, Robert Allen Simmons, Louie Smith, S. H. Stokes, Jim Taylor, Cathryn Train-

of the Menard Methodist Church, vention in Corpus Christi Friday will be the speaker. The Rev. Mr. Slater is a young man, having se- members was second in rank to the cured his B. A. degree from roll of 78 attained by Sonora. 1930. He was reared in Louisiana. president of the club, told of the degree from Southern Methodist weekly luncheon. G. Lorimer University in 1932. His first ap- Brown, an attorney of Harlingen, pointment was at Rochelle, Texas,' was elected district governor. His and last fall he was assigned to his opponent was Jack Bonner, owner present pastorate.

The Lions Club medals for the business in Corpus Christi. highest ranking students in the Although both the Sonora and first seven grades will be awarded Eldorado delegations tried to se-

CHILDRESS WILL FILED Son to Mittels The name, John William, has been given to the son born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mittle in San Angelo Thursday of last week. He weighed seven pounds. Mrs. Mittel was formerly Miss Bernice Holiman.

LEROY JEFFERS

Antonio.

Childress of Ozona.

they are 30 years old.

**Measles Epidemic** 

Less Severe In

Fewer Absences in Schools As

**Results** of Childhood

Disease

The measles epidemic in Sonora

Dr. Blanton says that there prob-

ably have been 100 cases in the



and Sutton county is abating, ac-School who will be graduated Friday night will hear Mr. Jeffers, a young attorney of San Antonio, speak on their commencement program during which they will re-Children and adolescents are most ceive their diplomas and the win-Francis Archer, A. W. Awalt, ners of various honors will be ansusceptible.

### **Lions Club Exceeds** San Antonio by Five

Jesus Ramos, Junior Schwiening, Laredo Seleced for 1935 Civic Club Session

The distinction of representing the largest club in the district was er, Serena Trainer, Louie Williams. accorded the seven members of the care is not taken. The Rev. Eugene Slater, pastor Lions Club who attended the conand Saturday. San Antonio with 78 Southern Methodist University in [ R. S. Covey, recently elected He secured his Bachelor of Divinity convention Tuesday noon at the of a printing and office supply

time.

ness, fever and pains in head or limbs are noted. as part of the program. Winners cure for San Angelo the 1935 con

MASONIC ORGANIZATION TO CONFER DEGREE ON 3 IN CROCKETT COUNTY A special meeting of Dee Ora The will of Mrs. Nell Henderson Childress of Ozona left to her four Lodge 715 A. F. & A. M. to confer children, share and share alike, her the master Mason's degree on three entire estate. It was filed for pro- candidates has been called for bete in Crockett county last week. Monday night.

Mrs. Childress died May 4 in San The meeting at the lodge hall will be preceded by a barbecue sup-Mrs. Childress' four children are: per at the golf course on the Alvis Mrs. Grady Mitcham, San Angelo; Johnson property at 6:30. Members Miss Ethel Childress, Pleas L. of lodges in other towns of this Childress, jr. and John William section have been invited to the supper and meeting.

Executors of the will may, if The barbecue supper is being they so desire, place half of the given by B. W. Hutcherson, a memproperty in trust for ten years for ber of the lodge and past master of the daughters and the other half in the organization. in trust for the two sons until

> High School and Lions Lead In Softball League

Town and Country Trading of Players Active As Fourth of Season Nears Completion

SOFTBALL LEAGUE (Inc. Wednesday, May 16) W. L. Pct. cording to Dr. A. G. Blanton, coun- High School .5 4 555

ty health officer, this week. Cases Lions Club 5 4 555 have been noted for more than a Counter Hoppers. month in both town and country. Highway Independents

Lions vs. Highway

entire county. Most of these have on the most severe type-Ger- took a step upward during the last night man or red measles. Although the week and now has a berth alongfinase has been prevalent enough side the Lions Club in the league to be considered an epidemic com- standings. The Counter Hoppers plications have been very few when dropped from their tie with the the number and severity of those Lions Club to a second place tie tricken is considered. The disease with the Highway.

is not considered a serious one but! W. B. Brantley wielded the big but may be dangerous if proper stick so well Thursday of last week that he made a circuit tour of the

Debilitating effects following bases. He and his mates were able uelly attacks an individual one of its defeat.

> On Friday the Lions doubled the score on the Independents and took Lions and Pfiester of the Independwas 16 to 8.

> > Players "Marketed"



THE REV. J. RALPH GRANT



Formerly a pastor in Anson, Texas, and just a few years ago a student at Simmons University, Ab-3 5 375 tor of Park Heights Baptist has signed the loan aggreement. Church, San Angelo, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon Sunday

## **Mexicans to Trial**

Gandra Was Charge After January Trouble

trouble are complications which the game. Eleven errors by the will be tried next week during the can be stated in this manner. often prove fatal. The disease us- High School ten accounted for part May term of county court which! convenes Monday.

> The men were released on bond of day, June 16. Twenty-year bonds \$500 each after it was charged that not to exceed a total of \$4700 will them into camp. Warren of the "they did unlawfully meet together be voted upon. A majority of the with intent to aid each other by votes cast is necessary for the pasents knocked home runs. The score violence to illegally deprive George sage of the bonds. There are about Gandra of his right to labor." Gan- 300 qualified voters in Sonora. dra was a sheep shearer on the

M. Huling who has been playing ranch of Fred Simmons at the time be accepted as security by the fed-The eruption stage starts about for the Independents was traded of the alleged offense. for Bill Fields of the Lions Club! The detailed complaint

Vincentce Rodriguez, Florentino

Sanchez, Foro Martinez, Martin

Perez, Bernardo Garcia, Jacinto

Tafolla, Benizno Gandra, Frederico

Petit Jurors Selected

petit jurors during the court term

Those summoned for duty as

shearer.

Guedea.

U.S. Offers Grant As Well As Loan for Building

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**ISSUE EXPLAINED** 

Bonds Would Be Paid By Using Monthly Rent Money

The signature of marold I. Ickes, federal administrator of public works, to a loan agreement approved by the federal government and received last last week, is expected to be an index to the time when Sonora will boast a municipal building.

A letter written by Phillip B. Fleming, executive officer "for the administrator, Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works." explains the basis on which ilene, the Rev. Mr. Grant, now pas- the federal executive, Mr. Ickes,

Mr. Fleming's letter in regard to the government acceptance of bonds morning to members of the senior and the cutright grant of further

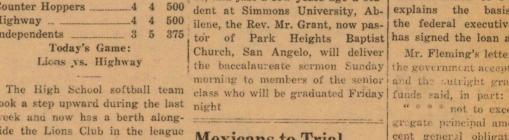
" \* \* \* not to exceed \$4700 aggregate principal amount of 4 per cent general obligation bonds of the city of Sonora and will make a at May Court Term grant of an amount not exceeding 30 per cent of the cost of labor and Interference With Labor of George materials employed upon the project therein described."

Plan of Building Explained

Rid of its legal wording and the Twenty Mexicans arrested in tachnicalities which have had to be measles are often serious. Pneu- to get only 8 runs while the High- January on complaint signed Jan- surmounted the basis on which Som via and enteritis as well as ear way boys were making 17 to win uary 24, 1934, by Arthur Simmons nora may acquire a city building

> A bond election has been called by the city commission for Satur-

If these bonds are voted they will eral government for loan of funds "as needed" in construction. The



of Parent-Teacher Association med- vention it was secured for Laredo. als for greatest progress in music San Angelo lost by one vote. in first six grades, attendance, spelling and honor roll certificate it was not a convention in which winners will be announced. The lat- delegates were "talked to death" ter three honors are competed for but that inspirational messages by students of the first seven were interspersed with a wellgrades while the music medals are planned entertainment program. sought by children of the first six The address of Sam Braswell of Covey, superintendent of schools, grades.

**Commencement Friday Night** The highest ranking students in ing to Mr. Covey. the 1934 class will be announced at the commencement program Friday night in the auditorium. The program which begins at \$:30 will climax the week's activities for the

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#### SUMMER AND BARE FEET AND BUGS-ALL ARE HERE!

A very eventful summer is being anticipated with great pleasure by a group of Sonora mothers whose Boy Scout sons are receiving instruction which will lead to their securing another merit badge.

O. G. Babcock, entomologist of the U.S. Department of Agriculture, is teaching "Insect Life" to six boys. An approved textbook, quite comprehensive in form, is being used. Each boy will collect fifty kinds of insects and will work out the life histories of several species.

A colony of ants or honey bees will be kept by each boy for two weeks and observations of their activities made. Allied species such as centipedes and vinegarones will also be considered by the boys-and their elders.

Parents of the boys who are taking the course are: Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Nisbet; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Brantley; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Trainer; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Simmons: Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Babcock; Mr. and Mrs. L. H. McGhee.

Mr. Covey stressed the point that Clarendon, international director, SEVS that several days last week was unusually worth while, accord-

H. V. (Buzzy) Stokes, president New Features For of the club, and C. H. Jennings, were introduced in the convention as master key members. The honor was recently attained by Mr. Stokes. Mr. Jennings has had his key for several months.

whole-hearted support by mem- ball players. bers in making the carnival Satur-! should be.

### ROD AND REEL DEVOTEES HARD AT THEIR SPORT

Fishing parties are the order of the day, or week-end, now and reports this week from the lake country and the Llano were that many Sonorans and Sution county people were enjoying the sport last Sunday.

Among those who were on the Llano were G. E. Ellis, Bob Vicars and P. J. Taylor.

The largest catch reported was that of G. G. Stephenson who con- the club by sharing his picturethe lake included Earl Duncan, De- his plans also. witt Blanton, A. B. Shoemake, Sally Still another attraction, "The Chalk, Charles Hull, Hub Hale and Loveliest Creature Alive," has his father, A. M. Hale of Alexan- been booked but all plans have been der, Texas, Hilliary Phillips, Sam made under cover of darkness and

Wes Hill.

the fourth day and continues for three or four days. This is followed by the decline stage when the symptoms are abating and convalescence begins. A cough may remain for days after convalescence.

There are three stages commonly

attributed to the disease. The peri-

od of incubation is usually from

seven to twenty-one days and in-

cludes the period btween infection

and outbreak of symptoms. Chilli-

Schools Affected Although there are comparatively few cases in town new R. S. (Continued on Page 8)

made.

## **Lions Club Carnival**

Vehle, Carroll, Hall Latest of Producers to Announce

Heightened interest in their re-Kenneth Babcock, high school spective attractions is being shown student who is a member of the by members of the Lions Club who ture students from Del Rio and club for six weeks because of his are undergoing a metamorphosis their instructor, Bill Rogers, at- J. A. Ward, jr., G. B. Baker, Joe scholastic excellence, presided. W. into theatrical producers of the tended a meeting at the Experi- Berger, F. P. Bond, Leonard Cald-C. Gilmore, W. C. Warren and R. first caliber from their ordinary S. Covey told of the need of pursuits as business men and soft-

Richard Vehle whose advances in day night the success that it the exhibition world have attracted much attention is the latest member to announce that he would sponsor a feature on the midway. All efforts have failed to induce him to neglect his dough and go into detail regarding the production he has created. He assures mented favorably on the enthusieveryone that there will be no lottery of any sort in connection with it.

"Why Girls Leave Home?" has O. G. Babcock, "External Parabeen announced by Arthur Carroll sites"; E. C. Cushing, "Screw as the name of the entertainment | Worm Fy"; V. L. Cory, "Range par excellence he will present. Hix Vegetation"; Dr. W. T. Hardy, "In-Hall, manager of La Vista Theater, ternal Parasites"; W. H. Dameron,

not content with co-operating with nected with a 6-pound bass while and receipts-will also have a show fishing in Devil's Lake. Others at on the midway. Mystery surrounds

Karnes, Tom Drickell and son, and the greatest secrecy maintained at the Independents in their game (Continued on page 2)

the Independents went to the High- interfered with in his labor as a way in exchange for Floyd Dungan. Outright purchase of Alton Hightower by the Counter Hoppers has are: been announced. He has been in the

Manuel Sanchez, Santos Reves, Counter Hoppers fold. Rafeal Gomez, Leo Sefuente, Jesus The consent of Kenesaw Moun-Favila, Ramon Bill, Rosalia Domtain Landis, baseball czar, was not inguez, Juan R. Rodriguez, Primisecured before either trade was tivo Torres, Predo Garza, Nicolas Alago.

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**Vocational Ag Boys** at Station Monday

Del Rio Boys Hear Addresses by **Experiment Station Staff** 

Twenty-five vocational agricul- are: D. Q. Adams, William Allison, problems vitally affecting the ranching industry.

According to W. H. Dameron, superintendent, it is planned to make the meeting an annual affair. Other schools than Del Rio were un- Robert Halbert, Vernon Hamilton,

No action was taken this week by the county commissioners, in sescock that a county agent be ap- be accomplished in 1954. pointed for Sutton county.

clared Wednesday afternoon that \$9.60 above our rent and storage only routine business was transact- expenditure now. If another truck ed at the sessions of the commis- or other fire equipment were added sioners. Reports of both the county in the next twenty years additiontreasurer and the county tax col- al rent of \$5 a month would have lector for the last three months to be paid. A fracture of his arm suffered were approved.

present.

shortstop area. Lester Archey of that Gandra was intimidated and sum loaned would be supplemented by money granted outright in an amount "not to exceed 30 per cent.

Those named in the complaint of th cest of labor and materials. Study by city officials has led them to believe that money now being paid for office rent and fire equipment storage may be diverted to retirement of the loan bonds at little more cost than at present. In speaking of the government proposal W. C. Gilmore, mayor, said soon after the receipt of the loan agreement papers:

"We believe our bond money expenditure would be in the neighborhood of \$3900. This would, of course, be added to by the 'gift' of FERA funds of approximately \$1200. Our total cost then would be about \$5100 and I believe that we could conservatively say that for that sum we would be getting a building that in times not so long ago would have cost \$7500.

**Retirement Plan Explained** 

"The retirement of the bonds is his way," Mr. Gilmore continued. 'On April 1, 1935, to April 1, 1947, inclusive, we would retire \$200 a year. From April 1, 1948, to April 1, 1954, we would retire \$300 a year. Interest of 4 per cent, an unusually low rate, would be payable semi-annually.

"Our maximum monthly payment until 1948 would be \$29.66. During the next six years it would scale down to \$25 a month with sion Monday, Tuesday and Wed-1\$29.60 as a maximum. Final retirenesday, on a request by Sim Glass- ment of the entire obligation would

"At no time," Mr. Gilmore ex-Alvis Johnson, county judge, de- plained, "would we pay more than

"I believe, as do the other com-All of the commissioners, Ben missioners, that it is Sonora's ex-Cusenbary, C. W. Adams, Joe M. cellent opportunity to get a muni-Logan and Lee R. Morris were cipal building on a plan that is (Continued on Page 8)

### J. C. Norris, R. D. Trainer, Charlie Hull. Thomas Espy.

#### COMMISSIONERS ASKED T O APPOINT COUNTY. AGENT

ment Station Monday to discuss well, John Cauthorn, George D. Chalk, W. R. Cusenbary, W. L. Davis.

Henry G. Decker, Hi Eastland, Sid Evans, John Fields, Ed Glasscock, Dred Green, Asa Hallum,

able to send students this year because of various activities in con-

nection with the close of the school year. Mr. Dameron comasm and interest the boys showed.

The boys brought their lunches

with them and enjoyed a swim at

Arm Fractured in Ball Game

Friday of last week by B. Huling

while he was playing softball with

against the Lions Club team.

noon in the tank at the station.

"Prickly Pear Control."

Those who spoke were: Dr. I. B. Boughton, "Livestock Diseases"

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#### THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

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MOOCHERS !!

STAY WAY FROM

### Scenes and Persons in the Current News



1-Fraulein Gertraud Luther, daughter of the ambassador from Germany, whose engagement to Gerrit von Haeften, attache of the embassy, has been announced in Washington. 2--William Waldorf Astor, son of Lord and Lady Astor, who is in the United States familiarizing himself with his father's realty holdings. 3-Members of the class of 1904 of Harvard, President Roosevelt's class, with their families at a garden party at the White House given by Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt.

### **Fifteen Hospitals**

### More Than 37,000 Crippled Chil- starting at 9:45. dren Treated in 14 Years

Washington, D. C., May 17 .--- In the past fourteen years the Shrine, Masonic organization, has established 15 widely distributed hospitals, 11 of which are major insti- Highway group Tuesday by a score tutions and 4 "mobile units." The of 6 to 5. Holmig, playing first 4 mobile units are wards for crip- base for the Highway, made 2 hits pled children in hospitals not under which netted two runs. Hill and cated at Shreveport, La., Minneapolis, Minn., San Francisco, Cal., base, respectively, for the Inde- to visit relatives. Portland, Ore., St. Louis, Mo., pendents scored twice. Six hits Mass., Chicago, Ill., Philadelphia, and seven by the Highway ten. Penn., Greenville, S. C. and Hon-Utah, Winnipeg, Canada and Lex- High School'defated the Lions by George, is a student there. ton, Ky.

at an expense of about \$1,000,000 for the students. McDaniel of the annually and to date have treated Lions brought in three tallies. more than 37,000 children who Chalk made a home run. were crippled by disease or accident.

The design of the buildings and grounds resembles spacious club or school appointments. The large High School 011 011 4 1 11 11 grounds afford opportunity for Highway 423 170 - 17 12 fresh air and sunshine, so helpful to doctors in effecting cures in Lions children.

Any child under the age of 14, with normal mentality, of any creed, color, nationality, is admit-Highway .... 121 100 0 5 7 ted free provided the parents or guardians are financially unable to provide treatment and provided the High School 003 650 1 15 13 patient's case is one which will Lions homital to

ter and within the theater where th Flea Circus, miscellaneous at-Operated by Shrine tractions and the picture "Evenings for Sale" will be on the program

### Softball-

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The Independents nosed out the

a score of 15 to 14. Griffin, Jones

These hospitals are maintained and Fields made three runs each The condensed scores for the

games of the last week are:

Thursday, May 10 R. H. E. Friday, May 11 420 260 2 16 16 003 020 3 8 11 Indps. Tuesday, May 15 001 230 - 6 6 Wednesday, May 16

500 350 1 14 13 6

Phone your news items to 24

PERSONALS

Mrs. Lee Labenske and Miss Mildred Labenske, proprietors of the Style Shop, went to San Antonio Monday to purchase merchandise. They returned Tuesday. Miss Adah Miers made the trip with them. C H. Jennings returned Wednesday night from a trip to Corpus Christi, Belton, Buckholts and Wharton. He and Mrs. Jennings attended the Lions Club convention. Hale, playing left field and first Mrs. Jennings remained in Belton E. F. Vander Stucken and his

Montreal, Canada, Springfield, were made by the Independents sister, Mrs. George Brockman of San Angelo, went to College Sta-A home run by Herbert Fields of tion Saturday to take part in the olulu. The "mobile units" are in the High School team was a feature A. & M. activities of Mother's and Spokane, Wash., Salt Lake City, of the game Wednesday when the Dad's Day. Mrs. Brockman's son,

> Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sawyer and son, Wesley, went to College Station Saturday to visit their son, Edwin, who is a student at A. & M. They were joined there by Miss Alice Sawyer and Miss Pauline Turney, students at the University of Texas.

> Sonora Pastor to Angelo Although Sunday school services will be held as usual at the Baptist Church Sunday there will be no morning service because of the pastor's absence in San Angelo. The Rev. Mr. Parker will occupy the pulpit of the Rev. J. Ralph Grant, pastor of the Parks Heights Baptist Church who will be in Sonora to speak at the baccalaureate services in the High School Auditorium.

STUDENTS TRAVEL MANY MILES IN SCHOOL YEAP.

Fort Worth, May 17 .- A journey of 12,300 miles!

That's quite a little distance, even one who lives in the immense state of Texas must admit. Major student oganizations of Texas Christian University have traveled 12,300 miles during the school year 1933-34, according to a compilation by a demon statisti-

cian of the Skiff, student paper. The football team, the basket- NEWS.

### An Appreciation....

It has been a real pleasure to serve Sonora and Sutton county people during the last year. I am grateful for the many courtesies extended to me. -Mora Lee Meckel.

### Announcement—

Mrs. James E. Moran, an operator with seven years experience, is now in charge of my shop and I am sure she will serve you in an efficient and capable manner. All of our work is guaranteed.

are each credited with traveling approximately 2400 miles during the school year. The band is not far behind with 1900 miles. The baseball team journeyed 1100 miles. Then come the international relations club and the dramatic club, with 700 miles each, the track team, with 500 miles, and the woman's glee club, with 200 miles.

oall team and the men's glee club

Blue Eagle Stickers in 2 colors at \$1.25 per thousand at THE

HERE'S A MAN who really stopped the neigh-bors from mooching his telephone service. If you are being bothered by borrowers, you might try the same trick!

San Angelo Telephone Co.

### Sonora Beauty Salon Phone 17

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That's easy for the listener-in, but the technical knowledge which makes this possible is not so easy. It takes training such as we offer in our School of Radio. To you who are radio-minded, we offer you our facilities.

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AND SCHOOL OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION Tyler, Texas



### Look for Better Flavor With Electric Cooking

ment. The average healing period is 105 days. Though the work of the hospitals is primarily orthopedic correction and cure, other handicaps such as diseased tonsils, defective visions and bad teeth are also corrected.

The work is financed by an annual contribution from each member and from gifts, donations and legacies.

### Carnival-

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all times about various details.

It all starts Saturday night at 7:30. It's an all county party and it all takes place near La Vista Thea-



### WATCH YOUR BALANCE IN THE

Bank of HEALTH

Nature, the teller, permits NO OVERDRAFTS. A depositor may withdraw only the amount he has on deposit-No More! To make HEALTH deposits will increase your HEALTH balance.

C. C. McDaniel, D. C. Sonora's Chiropractor Savell Apts. Phone 134

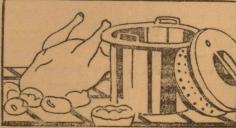


Sonora



Electric ranges cook food with a speed and economy which compare favorably with any other kind of fuel! Let us demonstrate our new ranges. Of course, there is no obligation - and attractive terms can be arranged.

This is the "Electrical Age." A Hotpoint range will be another step to your All-Electric Kitchen.



West Texas Utilities Company

You wouldn't believe that Electric Cooking could make so much difference in flavor! Meats and vogetables cook to niching tenderness in their own juices - with the addition of practically no water. And in the electric oven the heat rapidly sears, roasts, and prevents excessive shrinkage. Baked foods are deliciously and uniformly browned. Grilled steak has the flavor of charcoal broiling!

Electric Cooking retains so much more of the nourishing elements of the food that you can actually buy less meat or vegetables and still have just as much to put upon the table!

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### THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

#### PAGE THREE

### With the Churches

#### **Church of Christ**

10 o'clock **Bible Study** Morning Worship 10:45 o'clock Ladies' Bible Class, Wed., 3:30 p.m.

### **Baptist Church**

Sunday School	10 o'clock
Morning Service	11 o'clock
B Y. P. U.	7:15 p. m.
Song Service	8 p. m.
	8:15 p. m.
Prayer Meeting _	Wed., 8 p. m.
Choir Practice,	Thurs., 8 p. m.
ZE	Parker Pastor.

### Methodist Church

9:45 Sunday School Morning Worship Young People's Meeting \_\_7 p. m. nathy, Lubbock, district supervis-Evening Service W. M. S. Choir Rehearsal, Thurs., 7:30 p. m. Stewards' Meeting \_\_\_\_ first Sunday (each month)

Church Board, first Tuesday night (in month)

E. P. Neal, Pastor.

Car License Show Increase new passenger car registrations in ment, either by composition and sixteen Texas counties represent- scale-down of all indebtedness to ing all sections of the state were a point where it can be handled as encouraging, according to the Un- a new loan, or by an extension iversity of Texas Bureau of Busi- agreement that will permit worthy ness Research. Registrations to- debtors to work out their financial taled 5,307 in April against 5,245 difficulties. in March and 2,914 in April, 1933, gains of 1.2 per cent and 82 per during the first four months of fairly with both debtors and credthe year were 15,839 compared itors. They are expected to make with 9,343 during the correspond- every effort to aid in restoring ing period last year, an increase of farm and ranch homes to a profinearly 70 per cent.

### **Candidate Observes Birthday**

E. E. (Pat) Murphy, congression-39th birthday last Saturday he kept | Bond. hard at work on his campaign in Kimble and Menard counties.

#### Black Swans

Swans the world over are distinguished by long necks, but the honors in that respect must be given to the black swans of Australia. The black swans of Australia were first | si n from the United States Libradiscovered by members of a landing party from the ship of the Dutch navigator, Willem de Vlam traveled 15,000 miles by automobile ing, in 1697. Until that time no black swan ever had been seen. The location of the discovery, a small stream, is now called Swan river.

### Sutton Unique in Land Debt Problem

Lubbock District Executive Asks for Letter About Condition

Sutton county, according to a tatement made to R. E. Taylor, chairman of the county committee which is a unit of the Texas Farm Debt Conciliation Committee, is the sented. only one of the 254 counties in the state which does not have any foreclosure actions pending.

Sutton county has 973,440 acres and of this amount 869,096 acres is classified as "in farm." Crop acreage is 347, plowable pasture totals 2,889 acres and "open pasture" 865,091 acres.

Mr. Taylor stated this week that 11 o'clock he was told this by M. G. Aber-8 o'cock or, at a recent meeting in San An Wednesday, 3 p. m. gelo. Mr. Abernathy requested a letter from Mr. Taylor stating this fact and said that he would send it to Washington to executives of the Farm Credit Administration.

The state committee of twelve members, with headquarters i Austin, is the working unit of the national organization set up to Autin, May 17 .- April gains in bring about vountary debt settle-

**Committees Are Arbitrators** County committees are selected cent respectively. Registrations whom, it is believed, will work table, going basis with the aid of various governmental agencies at their command.

The Sutton county group which al candidate, is spending part of has been appointed to work out a this week at the West Texas sane, workable plan of settlement Chamber of Commerce convention of debts, in the event of threatened and the remainder in Edwards foreclosure, is made up of Mr. Taycounty and cities close to San An- lor, H. V. Stokes, secretary, B. W. gelo. By way of celebrating his Hutcherson, Bryan Hunt, Tom

### **Convicts Help In** Folk Lore Research

### Negroes Sing "Sinful Songs" for **Recording for Posterity**

Austin, May 17.-Under commisry of Congress, John A. Lomax of Dallas and his son, Alan, have through four southern states for the purpose of interviewing nearly ten thousand negro convicts and thousands of other colored folks in rural communities.

The object of the Lomaxes was to obtain phonograph records of authentic negro folk songs. They

### THEATER PROGRAM OFFERS Rattler Discovered MANY FEATURED PLAYERS

Edward Everett Horton, likeable comedian of the screen, will be the Creckett County Man Declares He star—as far as humor goes at least-in "The Poor Rich" at La Vista Theater today. Tomorrow

Hepburn's performances in such nitely settled. which will be shown Tuesday. gett ranch the past seven years and host of other players, including the has leased the ranch, found a large tackle jobs requiring concentrapersonable Charles (Buddy) Rog- rattlesnake swallowing a grown ers, Olathe, Kans., boy who made cottontail rabbit. good in Hollywood, will be seen in Thursday.

San Angelo Minister to Speak Fort Worth, May 17 .- Seniors of Texas Christian University will be addressed at their baccalaureate services June 4 by the Rev. J. William Stevens, pastor of the First Christian Church, San Angelo. The commencement address the next day will be by the Rev. L. N. D. front of the hips. Wells, pastor of the East Dallas Christian Church.

Texas with 80 golleges franks a rattler bite a chicken a few years third among the states, and its 46 ago and then wait until the chickjunior colleges place the state sec- en died before swallowing it .ond in that classification. Ozona Stockman.

At Rabbit Dinner Has Settled Argument

Evenings for Sale" will be shown a rattlesnake bites its victim be- double that of a year ago. The buin connection with the extravagant fore making a meal of it has fur- reau, a model for large cities of the Lions Club show that will be pre- nished material for many an ar- country, placed 1,140 men during gument in the sections of the coun- April, compared with 545 in April, "Spitfire," starring Katherine try infested with these venomous Hepburn, will be the screen attrac- reptiles, and to many old timers, ion Sunday and Monday. Miss the question has never been defi- permanent type than ever before,"

Mr. Wilkins killed the snake, 'Take a Chance" Wednesday and which was more than two and a half inches in diameter. Having heard the arguments on the question of how the snake dispatched its victim, Mr. Wilkins sought to settle it and skinned the rabbit. He found the flesh green from the poison of the snake's bite and the fang marks an inch apart on each side of the animal's back, just in

Since Mr. Wilkins' experiment, Mr. Baggett learned that his brother, Monroe Baggett, had seen

### JOBS IN LARGEST CITY DOUBLE THOSE LAST YEAR

New York, May 17 .-- Capt Mabel Murray, director of the Salvation Army's free employment bureau for men, says the number of The question of whether or not jobs becoming available daily is 1933.

"We are finding more jobs of a said Captain Murray. "I think the victures as "Little Women" is as- But Will Baggett brings in a tension has eased considerably. urance that her work in this pic- story that definitely settles the May probably will be the bureau's cure will be entertaining. Lee Tracy question in the affirmative. Last largest placement month, but nd Gloria Stuart form an admir- Friday, Mr. Baggett reported, Wal- there's a new probem. Many of the able team in "I'll Tell the World," ter Wilkins, employed on the Bag- average of 350 men who come to us daily are not fit for work; they James Dunn, June Knight and a now in the employ of Ed Bean who have been jobless too long to



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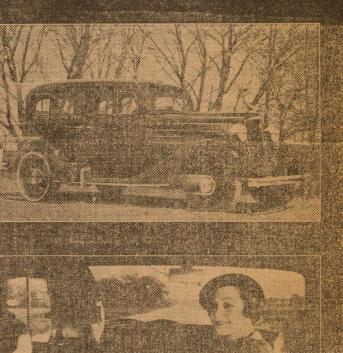
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Mr. Lomax is considered a foremost authority on southern and southwestern folk lore, and was one of the founders of the Texas Folk Lore Society. He is a graduate of the University of Texas, holding both the bachelor and master of arts degrees, obtaining the former in 1897 and the latter in 1906. His son is a former student of the university.

In an article for the Musical Quarterly, Mr. Lomax tells a number of experiences he had in interrogating the black convicts and in encouraging them to sing before his micraphone the "sinful songs," or secular music, of his race. He sought, not the so-called negro spirituals which have grown from the black man's acceptance of a comparatively new religious faith, but the deeply pagan strains that are the natural emotional outpouring of the primitive negro race.

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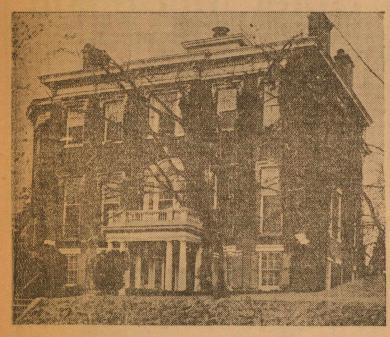
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### "Little Red House in Georgetown"



This old-fashioned residence was called by Representative Fred Britten of Chicago the "Little Red House in Georgetown," and he lowing week will be for boys from declared it is the place where disciples of Prof. Felix Frankfurter shape Junction, McCamey, Big Lake, Irathe "radical" laws for the Roosevelt administration. Two prominent New an, San Angelo and Mertzon. Mealers who live there are Tom Corcoran, RFC attorney, and Ben Cohen, FWA attorney.



Mr. and Mrs. Troy White were in San Angelo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Roueche were im San Angelo Sunday.

Charles Harold Evans was in Orona Friday on business.

Angelo Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wilkinson

were in San Angelo Tuesday.

Sunday. Mrs. E. C. Beam and baby da

#### THE SIX FLAGS OF TEXAS

Texas is rather unique among the states in its nistory in that it has lived under six different flags. exans know this, to be sure, but most are quite norant of the particular flags that have flown, each its own period. The French flag, for example, is ten shown as the present tricolor, but rightly it should be the royal flag bearing the fleur-de-lis. Fortunately, a native Texan, Mrs. Mamie Wynne Cox, has given much time to the study of Texas flagsthe six flags of history and the earlier flags of Texas -so that henceforth, in the centennial year especially, the proper flags should be shown in emphasis of 'Texas under six flags."

The approaching centennial should cause throughout the state a revival of interest in the fascinating pages of Texas history. With its imperial area and resources the state is destined to take a prominent place in American life. While sources of information can best be had, accurate knowledge should be secured to supercede present inaccurate knowledge about many events in the state's earlier history.

-Dallas News.

### Boy Scouts' Camp Starts at Close of School Year

Sonora Boys Scheduled to Be at Camp Louis Farr the Week of June 3

Efforts will be made to get at least twenty Boy Scouts of troop nineteen to attend summer camp at Camp Louis Farr, Mertzon, this summer, according to a decision at a meeting of "Scouters" at Hotel McDonald Tuesday night.

Last year twelve boys attended. The cost is \$5 for the week. Yates Hall, recently completed, has a newly equipped kitchen and mess hall. The week of May 27 is for troops from Ballinger, Eldorado, Bailey Ranch, Crane, Brady, Sherwood, Rankin and Sterling City. The next week boys from Menard, Eden, Sonora, Melvin, Texon and San Angelo will be there. The fol-

An adult leader will accompany each troop to camp, according to a statement this week by Mart Findlater, San Angelo, chairman of the committee. The troop will have its own camp, cook one meal a day, carry on its own advancement program.

Consternation has reigned su-Every precaution is being taken preme all this week at the Lone Goat Ranch, headwaters of Dry Scouts with a cleaning cut of the Devil's River. Nero, the mighty swimming pool, test of the swimflea, has been strutting his stuff ming and drinking water, exami-Dr. C. C. McDaniel was in San and lording it over his wife, Ara- nations of all Scouts and leaders bella, and their fifteen children. and the use of pasteurized milk and Nero is a Sutton county product. standard foodstuffs. A complete He was born on the Lone Goat chest of first aid equipment and Charles Harold Evans and Mary ranch, spending his young days materials will be on hand with an Jame Evans were in San Angelo fleeting to and fro among the hairs expert first aider in camp at all him of all gas, and now he eats times.

## **35 YEARS AGO**

#### May 20, 1899

The hop at the court house last night, though impromptu, was most enjoyable. J. B. Hill's band furnished the music and the following were present: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hagerlund, Mrs. Ira Word, Misses Sophie Vander Stucken, Mona and Monte Rountree, Maggie and Nanny Ward Word, Pearl McKee, Winnie Buchanan, Bettie Kessler, Lizzie Stevenson, Messrs. S. P. Woodward, J. J. Brumley, D. H. Burroughs, E. F. Vander Stucken, Ed Smiah, Bert Bellows, Sol Mayer, O. Rountree, J. W. Friday, A. J. Swearington, A. J. Boone, Lum Heflin and Mike Murphy.

D. K. McMullan of the cattle and sheep firm of McMullan and Myers was in Sonora from the ranch. Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Cusenbary and family and Mrs. R. A. Dickinson were in Sonora Friday on a shopping expedition. Herbert Palmer has gone out to

the sheep camp. His whiskers will be long when he comes back.

The following ladies and gentlemen spent last Sunday at Mayer's Middle Valley ranch: Max Mayer and Guida, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Mayer, Mrs. Burroughs, Misses Vander Stucken, Kate, Daisy and Myrtis Woodward, Messrs. D. H. Burroughs and R. S. Holland.

R. J. Turner and family have moved to the George S. Allison lower ranch. Jim Bratherton, one of the old

timers, was in Sonora Monday. Jim is going to move to Juno. Bob Miers, the sheepman, was in Sonora several days this week

LOCAL PASTOR TO HAVE MEETING IN SAN SABA

A revival meeting at the First Methodist Church in San Saba will be conducted from June 10 to 24

by the Rev. E. P. Neal. The morning service here June 10 will be conducted by the Rev. Mr. Neal and will be a "College Day" Concho Valley Council camping one honoring both students home from school and those planning to enter institutions of higher learnmake rustic camp furniture and ing next year. The following Sunday E. L Nunnally, president of San Angelo Junior College, will fill the pulpit and a group of college to insure the health and safety of students will sing. Announcements concerning the last Sunday of the Rev. Mr. Neal's absence will be

#### MAN'S HEART STOPPED

made later.

STOMACH GAS CAUSE W. L. Adams was bloated so with gas that his heart often missed beats after eating. Adlerika rid anything and feels fine. At Corner Drug Store, Inc. J-5

New Business Started BROTHER OF MRS. JACK Finis Hamby left Wednesday for San Antonio where he will buy additoional equipment for the cleaning and pressing establishment which he is operating in the Stites bulid-

ing. The new concern opened for business Monday. Until recently Mr. Hamby was a partner in the tion in Cuero. Club Cafe with Alton Hightower, present owner.

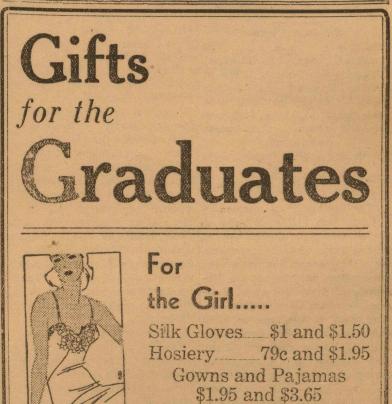
in Texas for the first quarter of Fielding Breeden and Miss Bertha 1934 increased 40 per cent above Harris of Cuero and Mrs. Neill. the first three months of the pre-

vious year.

Funeral services were conducted in Cuero Friday for Hunter Harris, 34, brother of Mrs. Jack Neill of Sonora. Mr. Harris, who died there Thursday, operated a service sta-

Besides his wife Mr. Hunter is survived by his mother, Mrs. W. F. Harris, a brother, Sherrod, of The dollar volume of retail sales Cuero, and three sisters, Mrs.

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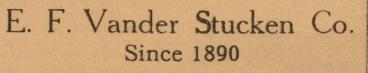


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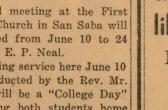
the boy will really like any of these

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## getting his head worked over. .....and



returned last week from San Antonio.

som, V. J., were in San Angelo Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Nannie Wheat and son, Ben Wheat, were in Sonora Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Sam Karnes took their baby daughter to San An-

gele Saturday for medical treatment.

Sunday.

Mrs. Brice Dabney and daughter, Miss Cleone of Eldorado were guests of Mrs. George B. Hamilton Monday.

Mrs. J. D. Lowrey, Mrs. S. H. Stokes and Miss Vivian Ball visited ins Brady and Katemcy Friday and Saturday

Mrs. Leslie Nance, Mrs. Norman Erdwood and Miss Lois Thomas were in San Angelo Wednesday of last week.

nie B. Wilson.

L. W. Elliott left for Dallas pital in that city.

nesday of last week.

Francis J. Wood, owner of the usually successful. City Variety Store left Monday for chandise for his store.

and Mrs. Bob Glasscock.

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of the pet goat.

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were in San Angelo Saturday and trained Nero and his family to do many clever tricks, such as-

> story. Come out to the Lions Car- the committee. nival Saturday night and see for yourslf the mighty Nero and his sentatives from other towns in the wife, Arabella and their 15 chil- Ranch District of the organization dren.

### BARBECUE PLANS TO BE FURTHERED NEXT WEEK

Shearing of 2900 sheep has kept Alfred Schwiening busy this week Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Nan- Allison Barbecue and. Celebration scheduled for June 12 and 13.

Placards will be placed by Mr. Tuesday were he underwent a ton- Schwiening in Rocksprings, Juncsillectomy at the Medical Arts Hos- tion, Menard, Fort McKavett and Eldorado. Later he will go to Mrs. Ben Meckel and daughters, Ozona. Donations of money and Miss Mora Lee and Mirs. George supplies are coming in well, accord-Barrow, were in San Angelo Wed- ing to Mr. Schwiening, and he be- players was displayed Saturday lleves that the affair will be un- when a team representing the Oz-

Next week he is planning to

Christi is vsiiting her sister, Mrs. vitaton to the gathering. Mr. Sonora. In the sixth inning Sonora W. S. Evans, and her parents, Mr. Schwiening declares that the pecan made eight runs and the visitors trees are beginning to spread their none.

Elwood, spent the week-end in thing points to a celebration that Kerrville as guests of her son, Ed- will rival those of other years.

Candidate to Speak

in San Angelo Wednesday night.

Visitors' day will be on Thursday afternoons. The district committees of Ballinger and McCamey have voted to hold their next meeting at Camp Louis Farr while the Scouts are in camp.

No Action on Firemen's Plan The "Scouters" committee did not act on a proposal by the fire department that the Boy Scouts Nero has been the play-fellow of receive regular training as junior Two-Gun Ike' for the past five fire department members. They years. His super intelligence was would learn to handle traffic Thelma Rees and James Caldwell early noted by Mr. Ike, who has crowds at fires and assist in various ways other than actually helping the firemen at their work. No member of the department was But we are getting ahead of the present to explain the proposal to

> In July, it was decided, reprewill be invited here to perfect a district committee.

> Boys under twelve who have been visiting the Scouts at their meet-

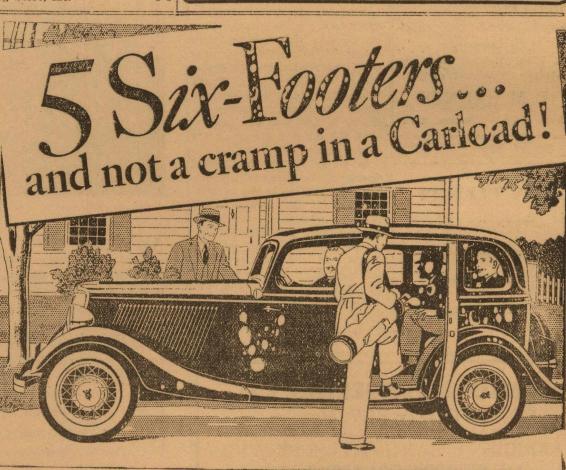
ings will not be allowed to do so in the future. The interest shown by the younger boys is commendable Willie B. Wilson, student at Tex- but he says that early next week but the work of the Scouts is such as University spent Saturday and he will begin publicizing the Camp that it is better that only members of the troop be allowed at the meetings.

> Bob Billington, San Angelo, scout executive in the area met with the committee.

#### Ozona Defeated Here

The prowess of Sonora softball ona Lions Club went down to defeat here by a score of 24 to 6. Dallas where he bought new mer- schedule ball games as well as be- Batteries for Ozona were Moore. gin the publicity campaign. Politi- Oathout and Littleton and McClel-Mrs. W. J. Mangum of Corpus cal candidates will receive their in- land, P. Taylor and C. Taylor for

> Thousands of subsistence farms will be needed, says the University of Texas bureau of business research, to care for workers to be C. C. McDonald, candidate for forced on relief rolls if the cotton governor will deliver an address curtailment program is made permanent.



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#### THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS



Four Pulitzer Prize Winners

### Former Sonora Girl Honored with

Party Thursday Honoring Mrs. James Yantis, nee

Miss Jessie Louise Evans, who was bert, Miss Muriel Simmons and house with 7 tables of 42. Miss Faye James entertained at the Sonora Woman's Club house Thursday afternoon of last week with 15 tables of bridge. The party proved, after the playing of bridge, to be a miscellaneous shower of gifts to the honoree.

In the receiving line were Mrs. Halbert, Mrs. Mary Evans, Mrs. L. E. Johnson and Mrs. Lillian Allison, Mrs. H. R. Wardlaw and Mrs. Jim Russell of San Angelo.

Pink and white were the prevailing colors in bridge table accessories and in the decorations with larkspur. The bridal motif was O. G. Babcock, Richard Vehle, J. A. carried out in the ice course served at the close of the bridge games, Stites, M. G. Shurley, E. E. Sawwith sweet peas as plate favors.

Mrs. Sterling Baker won the James. award for high score, and Mrs. Josie McDonald the award for low score. The honoree was presented nation pinks were plate favors. with a gift from the hostesses.

Guests, other than those named, Evans-Yantis were Mesdames B. W. Hutcherson, Wedding Sunday E. C. Mayfield, W. R. Nisbet, J. C. Stephen, Rose Thorp, A. C. Elliot, In San Angelo J. A. Cauthorn, J. S. Glasscock.

Mesdames V. F. Hamilton, E. F. Vander Stucken, Roy Baker, A. W. Awalt, P. J. Taylor, S. R. Hull, Bryan Hunt.

Joe Hull, Marshall Huling, Sam Karnes, Hilton Turney, Clara Murphy, Preston Prater, Stella Keene, Collier Shurley.

S. T. Gilmore, Nannie B. Wilson, Tom White, Ernest McClelland, Fred Simmons, Andrew Moore, Duke Wilson, R. D. Trainer, W. J. Fields, jr.

O. G. Babcock, Joe Brasher, Fred Earwood, Maysie Brown, W. P. Mc- and company. Connell, jr., M. M. Stokes, Troy White, C. E. Stites.

J. T. Shurley, A. J. Smith, E. E. Sawyer, G. C. Earwood of Del Rio. The Misses Mora Le Meckel, Ada

Steen, Debby Martin, Elizabeth. Caldwell.

Lucille DuBois, Harva Jones, San Angelo, Gertrude Babcock, Angelo. Nan Karnes, Zella Lee Thorp, Lois Thomas and Mary Jane Evans of O. E. S. Officers San Angelo.

Mrs. Glasscock Hostess to Just-Us

### Pastime Club Entertained by Mrs. Orion Brown

Music . . . Art

Women's Interests

Mrs. Orion Brown was hostess to the Pastime Club Friday afternoon married Sunday, Mrs. R. A. Hal- at the Sonora Woman's Club

> High guest score was held by Mrs. G. C. Earwood of Del Rio, and high club score by Mrs. M. G. Shurley.

Guests were: Mesdames M. M. Stokes, W. R. Nisbet, James D. Wilson, Hi Eastland, W. D. Wallace, J. H. Brasher, Maysie Brown, F. T. Jones.

Leslie Nance, S. T. Gilmore, W. A. Miers, R. A. Halbert, W. C. Warren, G. C. Earwood, Alton Coburn.

Members: T. W. Sandherr, Robert Rees, E. P. Neal, J. W. Trainer, Cauthorn, B. W. Hutcherson, C. E. yer, R. D. Trainer, and W. E.

The hostess served an attractive sandwich plate with iced tea. Car-

The marriage of Miss Jessie Louise Evans, former Sonora girl, to James Yantis was solemnized Sounday morning at 9:30 o'clock at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. R. Wardlaw in San Angelo.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Mary Evans of San Angelo but formerly of Sonora. She is an ex-Saturday Afternoon student of the University of Texas and Westmoorland College in San Antonio. She attended business college in San Angelo last year and is now employed by H. O. Byrd

Mr. Yantis is the son of Mrs. W. J. Yantis of Abilene and is employed at the Banner Creamery. He is a graduate of Simmons University and was a member of the Cowboy Band when that group

toured Europe. Jamie Gardner, Annella Stites of the Ragsdale Apartments in San club and Miss Ada Steen low club

## **Elected Tuesday**

Ban Odom.





Here are four winners of the annual Pulitzer prizes. 1-Miss Caroline Miller, for the best novel, "Lamb In His Bosom"; 2-Dr. T. Dennett, for best American biography, "John Hay"; 3-Royce Brier of San Fran. the representatives left their posicisco Chronicle, for best reporting, the account of the lynching of two tions at the pillars of gold and took kidnapers; 4-E. P. Chase, editor of the News Telegraph of Atlantic, their places at the wagon wheels lowa, for best editorial of the year.

### Mrs. Frank Bond **Gives Club Party** Entertaining guests and mem-

bers of the Queen of Clubs, Mrs. Frank Bond was hostess to four tables of contract bridge Saturday afternoon at the Sonora Woman's Club house.

Dainty refreshments of strawberry ice cream, molded in the shape of a slipper, and angel food by the hostess.

Mrs. R. A. Halbert received high The couple will be at home in guest award, Mrs. Tom White high award.

> Guests were: Mesdames E. F. land, V. F. Hamilton, R. A. Halbert, Nannie B. Wilson, Edith

## W. T. C. C. Revue

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Parties . . . . Clubs

Future Events

Miss Bobbie Halbert, who repre- was formerly publisher of the Chamber of Commerce convention Fort Stockton Pioneer. Mrs. W. H. in San Angelo this week, was one Brengle, mother of Mrs. Baker, of of the representatives from 52 Chillicothe, Mo., is with her in West Texas towns who were enter-| San Angelo. tained by dances, shows and special events.

Miss Minnie Mertz of San Angelo as Miss West Texas, and Miss Janet Pilcher as Miss San Angelo, Bode will have an exhibit of their were the official hostesses for the visiting guests.

the Rainbow Round-up Revue at the Municipal Auditorium, in which they marched down a rainbow stairway and were seated according to the color of their frocks, forming a colorful setting for the show which featured special dancing and song numbers each night.

Outstanding in the entertainment were the special features presented by the North Texas State Teachers College stage band, Loretta Westrup of El Paso, Irene Joy and Horace Davis, professional dancers, and the San Angelo Lions Club Cowboy Band.

rolled by the Cowboys and singing the song ,"Wagon Wheels."

Miss Halbert and her mother, Mrs. R. A. Halbert, were guests of vention. Miss Lois Whitehead, a representative from Del Rio, was also a guest of Mrs. Halbert.

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

The subject, "Christ Is Teacher," Awalt conducted the tenderfoot in- has been seected for the Sunday vestiture ceremonies as representa- meeting of the Baptist Young tives of Troop 19 Sonora. The new People's Union. The various phases squares iced in green were served troop in Mertzon is Number 16 and of the subject and the members will be included in the Concho Val- who will discuss them are:

"HeSuited His Methods to the The group sonsoring the troop is Ones He Taught," Miss Violet made up of Manse Hoggett, R. S. Drennan; "Essential Conditions," Williams, the Rev. W. E. Brown Miss Edith McGhee; "He Simplified and Dan Browning. Fred Smith, Great Truths," Mrs. Leslie Nance; Vander Stucken, Ernest McClel- brother of Bud Smith, Sonora, is "He Taught the Fundamentals of Life," Miss Ida Bele Sykes; "He A barbecue dinner was served Taught Men to See God in Every-Bond, Virgil Powell, Stella Keene, before the program. Addresses thing," Miss Mary Louise Gard-

Teacher," Mrs. F. T. Jones

Boy Born to George Bakers Mr. and Mrs. George Baker of Pleases Spectators Fort Stockton have announced the birth of a son in San Angelo Sat-

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Miss Bobbie Halbert One of Girls urday, May 12. The child weighed seven and one-fourth pounds and will be named Frank. Mr. Baker

sented Sonora at the West Texas News and is now publisher of the

#### PUPILS OF MRS. BODE TO HAVE EXHIBIT NEXT WEEK

work Monday and Tuesday in the studio of the grammar school

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### LA VISTA THEATER SONORA

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TODAY-ONLY "The Poor Rich"

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### SATURDAY "Evenings for Sale"

Herbert Marshall, Charles Ruggies, Mary Boland

Sunday - Monday KATHERINE HEPBURN in **"SPITFIRE"** Don't Miss This One!

TUESDAY Lee Tracy and Gloria Stuart in "I'll Tell the World"

> Weds.-Thursday "Take a Chance"

Sonora Group Helps Twenty-four Mertzon Boys in New

**Troop Installed Friday** Twenty-three Mertzon boys be- SIX MEMBERS TO CONDUCT

came Boy Scouts of America Friday night when John Eaton, scoutmaster, Ralph Trainer and A. W.

ley Council area. scoutmaster.

Mrs. Tom Davis Is Worthy Matron; E. C. Mayfield, and the Misses Mu- were made by Bob Billington, exec- ner; "The Authority of Christ as

in Scout Ceremony Mrs. R. F. Halbert during the con-

For the finale on Tuesday night

The girls were introduced during building.

### Club Monday

Just-Us Club Monday afternoon at the Masonic hall. ber home.

splits with pineapple sauce were lowing newly elected officers: as-Mangum of Corpus Christi, N. S. retary, Mrs. Russell Long; treas-Wallace and Willie Ross.

ans, V. F. Hamilton, Russell Long, James D. Wilson.

Mrs. Babcock won high guest award, Mrs. Hamilton high club and Mrs. Wilson cut award.

Mrs. Tom Davis was elected Mrs. J. S. Glasscock was hostess worthy matron of the Sonora chapto three tables of bridge entertain- ter of Order of Eastern Star at its ing guests and members of the regular meeting Tuesday night at

Ban Odom was elected worthy Angel food cake and banana patron and will serve with the folserved to the following guests: sociate matron, Mrs. Joe Hull; as-Mesdames B. W. Hutcherson, W. J. sociate patron, M. G. Shurley; sec-Patterson, O. G. Babcock, W. D. urer, Miss Thelma Rees; conductress, Mrs. J. C. Stephen; associate Members: Mesdames W. S. Ev- conductress, Mrs. Ardena Speed. These officers will be installed W. R. Nisbet, W. C. Warren and either at the June meeting or at a special one.

> Pictorial Review patterns at City Variety Store, 15c .- adv.

#### riel Simmons and Faye James. Members: Mesdames Duke Wil-

son, Tom White, Lloyd Earwood, Miss Ada Steen and the hostess.

COOKING AUTHORITY TELLS OF METHODS OF SAVING

Economy, the watchword in present day cocking, is being stressed by Miss Ilah Manchester, an authority on electric cookery, in her Sawyer, Kenneth Babcock, Louis lectures yesterday and today at the Davis, Lloyd McGhee, Bobby Niscooking school she conducts on the bet. stage of La Vista Theater. The school and demonstration are **Sunflower State** sponsored by West Texas Utilities Company.

The program this afternoon will be different from that of Thursday afternoon. Miss Manchester's recipes as well as the dishes she prepares as a part of her demonstration are designed to be both nourishing and well balanced. There is no admission charge and but many do not know that the entertainment features of several state also leads in the production types have been planned to make of flour. the afternoon programs which begin at 2:30 both entertaining and lication of the Santa Fe Railway,

### SONORA GIRL RECEIVES DIPLOMA, SCHOLARSHIP

instructive.

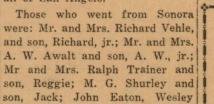
Miss Hattie Taylor, daughter of R. E. Taylor, was one of six nurses of the Shannon Hospital who were presented diplomas at the graduation exercises held Saturday night at the First Methodist Church in San Angelo.

Miss Taylor was announced as the winner of the post-graduate scholarship awarded the nurse hav- capacity Kansas mills could proing the highest average.

Mrs. Wilkinson Contract Hostess Mrs. W. J. Wilkinson was hostess to the Contract Club Monday afternoon at her home. Those partic- 117,000,000 bushels. ipating were Mesdames Clara Murphy, E. F. Vander Stucken and Nannie B. Wilson. Mrs. John Allison of San Angelo and Mrs. Joseph Vander Stucken came in later in the afternoon.

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tive of the area, W. B. Benton, organization chairman in the area, and Burt White, an Eagle Scout, all of San Angelo.



**Also Flour Leader** 

Kansas Annual Wheat Average Is

125,000,000 Bushels

Topeka, Kan., May 17.-The

world knows Kansas as a wheat

growing state of the first rank

A recent issue of the Earth, pub-

states that 100 or more Kansas mills in 1933 manufactured 15,-

481,000 barrels of flour. More than

seventy million bushels of wheat were required. Kansas mills located

in "Greater Kansas City," com-

posed of Kansas City, Mo. and

Kansas City, Kans., across the Mis-

Minneapolis, with its huge mills

is responsible for Minnesota's place

If allowed to run full time at

duce twice as much flour as they

did last year. The average produc-

tion of wheat in the state is 125,-

000,000 bushels. At capacity pro-

duction the mills would call for

Mrs. P. J. Taylor, Mrs. J. D.

Westbrook, Mrs. Norman Gird-

wood, Miss Lucille DuBois and

Miss Ruth Tipton were in San An-

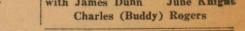
gelo Saturday. Mrs. Girdwood re-

mained for the week-end to visit

friends. She returned Tuesday.

as second on the production list.

houri River are not included.





### ....EVENING or **DAY**.....

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### THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

Sonora, Texas, May 18, 1934

### APPROVED FOR NEXT FALL ERECT STATION FOR **GRIDIRON SCHEDULE IS**

Approval of the football schedule tentatively arranged by H. S. Griffin, coach, and R. S. Covey, super- Eccentric's Will Provides intendent of Sonora schools, several months ago was secured at a meeting here last week of representatives of schools in the 17th district, university interscholastic league.

Coaches or superintendents were here from Rocksprings, Junction, laboratory to be operated jointly by Menard, Edorado and Ozona. Mr. Covey was elected permanent chairman and he and Mr. Griffin, sec- some of the wildest country in the retary-treasurer, with the following southwestern United States. make up the executive committee:

R. C. Donaho, coach, Rocksprings; C. S. Denham, recently selected as superintendent in Ozona; the dismay of relatives, bequeathed R. D. Holt, superintendent, Eldo- the bulk of his estate to the Univerrado; G. H. Mitchell, superintend- sity of Texas for an astronomical ent, Junction; T. A. Parker, new laboratory. A total of \$800,000 was superintendent at Menard.

### FIREMEN READY FOR

Matched goat roping has been arranged between Tom McKee of department.

pected to enter the various con- shaped peak in the Davis mountain tests, according to Cashes Tayor, range, which pokes its pine-covered who is in charge of the affair. It sides some 6,850 feet into the heavwill begin at 2:30 at the club roping ens, and the McDonald observatory, will begin at 2:30 at the club roping grounds in west Sonora. The fire department treasury will benefic will bear the distinction of being the second highest observatory in from the small admission charge the United States. for children and adults.

a team of firemen and one of cow- Jeff Davis county has only about boys and other events are sched- 800 population, virtually all residing uled. In the free-for-all event an Valentine. entrance fee of \$1 will be charged and the purse divided 60-30-10 by side in a ten-mile radius of Mount the three who place.

Holmig Hurt in Ball Game Edwin Holmig suffered a dislocation of the left shoulder Tuesday afternoon while playing baseball.

### VISIT A CENTURY OF PROGRESS-1934

ALL



### **ECONOMICALLY--COMFORTABLY--**CONVENIENTLY

## **STUDY OF HEAVENS**

### for Observatory.

Pecos, Texas-Science soon will command the roof of Texas. Contract has been let and construction will start September 15 upon the \$400,000 McDonald astronomical the universities of Texas and Chicago and to be located 60 miles from here in the midst of what is now

An eccentric old gentleman of Paris, Texas, W. J. McDonald by name, passed on to the great beyond some years ago and, much to set aside for this purpose. Efforts of relatives to break the will failed and now, several years after his SATURDAY ROPING EVENTS death, the dream of the old devotee of the heavens is about to become a reality.

#### Universities Join Hands.

The University of Chicago was inthe Sonora fire departmnt and vited to join the University of Texas Frankie Franks of the Willie Miers in the project and the Chicago in-Black Ranch. The contest will be stitution is to pay the bulk of main-Saturday afternoon as a part of the tenance costs for the plant. Conroping events arranged by the fire struction cost is to be borne entirely by the University of Texas.

Regents of the Texas school select-Twenty or twenty-five are ex- ed as the site, Mount Locke, cone-

The region is one of the most A stake race, potato race between sparsely settled in the United States. in the hamlets of Fort Davis and

> Not more than twenty persons re-Locke, but deer, black bear and mountain lions abound. The region is timbered, but in many spots the green terrain is broken by canyons as much as 1,500 feet deep.

> Until recently no highway worthy of the name ventured closer than 200 miles to the site, but in recent months the state of Texas has built a road to the base of Mount Locke. Now engineers are mapping out a winding road to make the last 700 feet ascent to the peak.

#### Ten Buildings Planned.

Some ten buildings will be erected atop Mount Locke to house telescopes and instruments and to serve as dormitories for scientists THE and their families. In all, ten sci-WAY entists will be stationed there eventually. The telescope's lens will require three years to prepare and will be the second largest in the world, with an 80-inch reflector.

Neighboring ranchmen, accustomed to the wilderness, are viewing this invasion of the primeval with a great deal of wonderment. Heretofore there have been no aspects of the world of culture. Here

Dog Gone! By GENEVRA COOK

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MR. MOONEY of Mooseville stood in the door of his cabin in the woods which covered the side of Mooseville mountain, peering near-sightedly at a folded copy of a newspaper which he held in a leathery brown hand.

LOST: Big tan dog resembling hound. Name: Floppy-ear. Reward: \$10.00. P. O. Box 391, Mooseville.

His steps made slightly uncertain by years and rheumatism, Mr. Mooney limbed across the cabin and opened the door into the woodshed. "Come 'ere, Floppy-ear !"

The big tan dog ambled toward him. Mr. Mconey regarded her speculatively. "Now if those people that put thet air notice in the paper sees my sign I stuck up in the post office, I guess likely your folk'll be right along, ma'am. Some o' those summer folks up to the lake, most likely. Don't know no better'n to go wanderin' all over the maounting."

At the sound of a car laboring noisily up the steep hill, he closed the woodshed door upon the dog, and hobbled outside. The car was an old one painted blue and gold, and the driver was a fair-haired slim girl, with blue eyes to match her sweater and beret. She left the car at the end of the road out past Del Rio left Saturday after spendthe thick trees clustered around the edge of the clearing, and came running across the stony field to the cabin.

"Hello!" she called. "Have you got Floppy-ear?" She came up to him, breathless. "Oh, please, is she here? I've looked everywhere!" There was the sound of barking

from behind the woodshed door. "Oh, she is here! Here's the reward." She thrust into the tough wrinkled right hand of Mr. Mooney a crisp, new ten dollar bill.

Suddenly there was a honk ! honk ! from the direction of the car. "Oh | speeches that night. whoever is blowing the horn of my car? I came up alone! Wait! And she was gone, leaving Mr. Mooney looking after her, his mouth still opened to speak.

"I beg your pardon, sir!" Mr. Mooney gave a violent start. There at his side was a tall, good-looking youth with dark hair.

"I came to claim my dog, sir. You have her here, I think-in the shed, ceiving medical treatment. He will perhaps?" With three long strides, he was past the astonished Mr. Mooney and had opened the door of the shed. The dog came bounding out to him, jumping at his legs, exnition.

sir!" He thrust into the left hand Before he had gone two steps the a student there.

girl was facing him, her eyes flashturned scornfully away. "Come, harking with iov.

### Secretary Swanson Didn't Like "The Fleet's In"



It took only one look from Secretary of the Navy Claude Swanson, Assistant Secretary Henry L. Roose velt and an assortment of rear admirals, captains and commanders to send this work of art into the darkest corner of the navy's brig. It is entitled "The Fleet's In," and depicts a scene on shore when the navy boys greet their feminine admirers. The work of a CWA artist, Paul Cadmus, it was labeled as being "not true to the navy" by Mr. Swanson.

### PERSONALS

A general program given largely by the students themselves has been arranged for pupils of the

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GRADUATION WEDNESDAY

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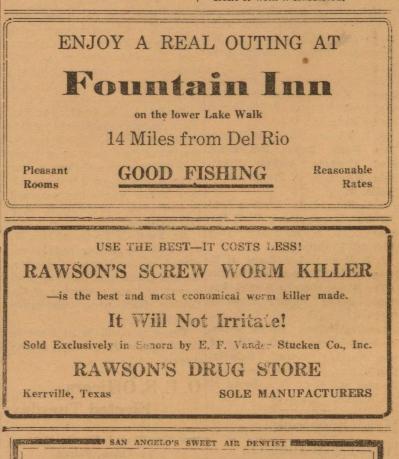
F. T. Jones is principal of the Miss Lena Hess returned Tues- school and the other members of day to the W. B. Whitehead ranch the faculty are: Miss Harva Jones,

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Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Earwood of ing the week with their daughter, ceremonies Wednesday night in Mrs. J. A. Cauthorn, and other the grammar school auditorium. relatives.

after several days visit with her Miss Gertrude Babcock, Miss Jamie parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. L. Hess, Gardner, Mrs. Roy Grimland.

in San Angelo. J. E. Grimland and Curt Allison spent Monday in San Angelo at sessions of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and the political

Mrs. Ed Mears and Mrs. Will Wilkinson returned to Menard Monday after a few days visit with Mrs. W. J. Wilkinson and Mrs. Joseph Vander Stucken.

Jack Mayfield and Frank Knapton left Monday afternoon for San Antonio where Mr. Knapton is re-

return today or tomorrow. Miss Louise Alsup, Dan Ellis, Don Johnson and Joe Almond of San Angelo, and Miss Mabel Marhibiting every sign of joy and recog. tin of Del Rio were the week-end

guests of Miss Debby Martin. "Here," smiled the young man. E. S. Long returned Wednesday "Here is the reward! Thank you, morning from San Angelo where of Mr. Mooney a neatly folded ten he went Sunday to attend West dollar bill. "Come, Floppy-ear!" he Texas Chamber of Commerce accalled, and started across the field. tivities and to visit his son, Jack,

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hull and Mrs. ing. Without speaking to him, she Floppy-ear!" she called. And the end in San Antonio. They were acdog came running to her, jumping. companied by Miss Jessie Samon who has been visiting her sister,

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tofore the lore of the cowboy has been that of the region. Now the echoes of a fast-fading "wild West"

will be thrown in sharp contrast with the world of today and tomor-

Already tourists in large numbers are inspecting the site of the observatory and once it has been completed it will be an attraction of the first magnitude, for the thousands who take the road each summer. A land of great natural beauty, once seen almost exclusively by the cowboy and the occasional huntsman will now be opened to the view of all-and a "queer" old man in Paris, Texas, who liked to watch the stars at night gets the credit.

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sighted, had to move nearer to them Mr. and Mrs. Roy Aldwell were

man was saying in an even, firm by Miss Elizabeth Francis. bitterness. "Come here, Floppy-ear." The dog came.

"You don't value a gift when you don't care anything for the giver." Roy, who is a student at A. & M. College. While there Mrs. Aldwell

mean, I-I-did-I mean-" The young man's voice became softer, and Mr. Mooney moved a little nearer. "Just what do you committee. mean, Jocelyn?"

"I-I mean what I said-Gerald." Mr. Mooney was getting nervous. He didn't like to have folks kissing right in front of his cabin. It wasn't respectable. He cleared his throat as loud as he could, but no one paid any attention. Then he tried something else.

"Come here, Floppy-ear," he called. The dog came.

The man was taking something out of his pocket. "And you'll wear my ring again, Jocelyn?" he was saying, and slipping it, sparkling in the sun, on her slim white finger. Together they turned and smiled for a moment at the leathery-brown old man who was staring at them from the yard. Together they called 'Come here, Floppy-ear !" The dog went.

Mr. Mooney stood in the door of his cabin and watched them walk, close, down across the stony field, the dog running joyfully at their heels. He looked down at the two ten dollar bills, one in each hand. "Doggone !" said Mr. Mooney.

#### Half Man, Half Horse

In classic mythology centaurs were beings who were half man and half horse. They fought with the Lapithae-a people of Thessaly-at the marriage feast of Hippodamia and Pirithous, and were expelled from their country. Chiron was the most famous of the centaurs. 49 Iowa Citics Kan Gardens

Des Moines .-- Community thrift gardens were maintained by the unemployed in 49 Iowa cities this summer, a survey here showed. Land out to such use totaled nearly 2,500 acres and was worked by more than 15,000 persons.

Mr. Mooney, because he was near- Mrs. Tom Bond.

in order to puzzle it out. He had at A. & M. College last Saturday to move nearer still, because he was a little hard of bearing. But neither of them noticed him at all

"You don't want that dog," the accompanied to San Antonio Friday voice, that somehow held a note of Mr and Mrs. Roy Aldwell spent the week-end with their son, Lea

"I do care for the giver-I-I- attended a meeting of the A. & M. Mothers' Club and was appointed DENTAL SERVICE and Loos Plates Repaired Free With Prices Moderate ROURS-Daily, 9 a Wed No Appointments Necessary

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he was called by the death of his brother-in-law, George A. Wills, her marriage yesterday, has placed 54, who died there after an opera- Mrs. James E. Moran in charge of tion. Two of Mr. Wills' brothers her Sonora Beauty Salon. Mrs. Mowho live in Mexia were unable to at- ran recently moved here from San tend the funeral Sunday because of Angelo where she was employed for a collision between their car and seven years as a beauty operator. another on a Houston street.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS POLITICAL

(Editor's Note-Candidates will be listed in the order received. Rates will be as follows, payable in advance: Precinct offices, \$5; county offices, \$10; district offices, \$15. Announcement will be carried throughout entire year until time of final election. Payment of fee entitles candidate to a statement not exceeding 100 words. Portions of statements over 100 words will be charged for at 10 cents a line).

The following candidates announce for the offices designated, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 28, 1934:

When he was admitted "on trial" For Congressman, 21st Congressional District: CULBERSON DEAL E. E. (PAT) MURPHY

> For Sheriff, Tax Collector and Assessor: J. K. LANCASTER

B. W. HUTCHERSON For County Judge: **ALVIS JOHNSON** 

HARVEY WALKER For County Treasurer:

MRS. A. J. SMITH For County and District Clerk:

J. D. LOWREY

H. M. THIERS C. W. ADAMS

For Constable Precinct 1: T. B. DAVIS



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FOR RENT-4-room cottage with Both high school and elementary bath. Call 165. 28-2tp school students began taking final examinations today. The seniors FOR bargains in farms, ranches will complete theirs Monday and and city property see or write W. Tuesday and other students will be A. Priddy, Coleman, Texas. 29-3tp

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through Wednesday.

Mr. Moran is employed in the Election-

cleaning and pressing department

of the J. W. Trainer store.



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	POUNDS 53

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YAMS, East Texas 19C kiln dried; 4 lbs	CLOTHES PINS, re- plenish your supply, doz.	
BUTTER, Clear- brook, the pound	TOILET TISSUE, Bi- American, 650-sheet roll	
SYRUP-Mary Jane-Special for Friday and Saturday-Gallon can49c; ½ gallon can29C		
TOILET SOAP, Cam- ay or Palmolive, bar 50	IVORY SOAP, medium 60C	
CRISCO, Ideal for 58C cooknig, 3-lb. can	CRISCO, Use it 1.10	
PEANUT BUTTER—A Friday and Saturday spec- ial,—quart, 29c; pint, 17c; 6-ounce jar		

### Measles-

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there were as many as fifty absent in the elementary school. Few are out of the high school at this time because of the illness. Thursday five were absent from high school. In two classes of 46 none was absent. In the elementary school 35 were not present, ten of whom were in the third grade.

Among the most severe cases has been that of "Rooster" Halbert, on of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Habert, jr. He is well on the way to complete recovery now. Others who are expected to return to school this week are: Libby Jo Wallace, Billy Shurley, Mary Sue Blanton and Martin Ater. Lem Eriel Johnson is improved and will probably be in school at least a part of next week.

### COUNTY'S COTTON CROP MAY BE GREATLY REDUCED

Citizens of Erath county, of which Stephenville is the county seat, are to be permitted to raise only 3500 bales of cotton under the present government set-up, accordng to A. M. Hale of Alexander, in the same county. Stephenville is 15 miles southwest of Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Hale are visiting their son, Hub Hale and family. Mr. Hale was formerly a merchant in Erath county.

The county has raised as much as 67,000 bales of cotton but for the last five years has averaged only 5000 bales. At a recent meeting plans were perfected for application for a readjustment of the ruling that would permit the raising of at least the 5000-bale average of the last few years.

Federal agents are buying 1, 400,000 acres of Texas timber land for forest preserves.

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